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Title: PRESSURE-SENSITIVE ADHESIVE WHICH CAN BE APPLIED WHILE HOT

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Prior to calculating the national fee, and prior to examination in the National Phase of the above-identified International application, please amend as indicated below.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 4 and 5 as follows:

Claim 4, line 1 and 2: Change "any of the preceding claims" to -- Claim 1 --.

Claim 5, line 1 and 2: Change "any of the preceding claims" to -- Claim 1 --.

REMARKS

The principal purpose of this Preliminary Amendment is to eliminate multiple dependencies in order to avoid extra fees, applicants reserving the right to amend claims to cancelled combined subject.

Respectfully submitted,

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